

TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT APPLICATION INFORMATION:

THERE ARE SEVERAL LINKS AND WEB SITES THAT YOU SHOULD VISIT TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND SUBMIT AN ONLINE RESUME OR APPLICATION, THOSE ARE LISTED BELOW. YOU WILL NEED TO COMPLETE AN ONLINE RESUME THROUGH AVUE DIGITAL SERVICES TO A SPECIFIC "ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBER". THERE ARE SEVERAL NATIONAL OPEN CONTINUOUS ANNOUNCEMENT NUMBERS. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN EMPLOYMENT WITH A HOTSHOT CREW AT THE GS-05 LEVEL YOU WILL NEED TO APPLY TO THE "HOTSHOT/HAND CREW" ANNOUNCEMENT # TEMP-OCR-462-5-HOTSHOT. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN EMPLOYMENT WITH A HOTSHOT CREW AT THE GS-04 LEVEL YOU WILL NEED TO APPLY TO THE "HOTSHOT/HAND CREW" ANNOUNCEMENT # TEMP-OCR-462-4-HOTSHOT. IF YOU ARE APPLYING AT THE GS-03 LEVEL THERE IS NO SPECIFIC "HOTSHOT/HAND CREW" ANNOUNCEMENT ONLY THE "FORESTRY AID (Fire)". The announcement # temp-ocr-462-3-fire. Additionally, we WORK AS GENERAL SCHEDULE OR "GS" EMPLOYEES. WHEN YOU ARE APPLYING THROUGH AVUE DIGITAL SERVICES YOU WILL NEED TO SPECIFY YOU DUTY STATION. THE MT TAYLOR HOTSHOTS ARE BASED IN GRANTS. New Mexico.

https://www.avuedigitalservices.com/

USAJOBS-Another site for locating jobs within the Federal Govt. (Select, O455 or O462, GS, your area of interest, and select your grade)

http://www.usajobs.opm.gov/

IF YOU HAVE OTHER INFORMATION THAT YOU WISH TO EXPRESS WITH US.

PLEASE EMAIL US OR

SEND A LETTER TO.

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PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT

FOR INFORMATION ON PERMANENT EMPLOYMENT WITH THE MT TAYLOR HOTSHOTS PLEASE CONTACT THE SUPERINTENDENT OR ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT TO FIND OUT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT POTENTIAL OPENINGS ON THE CREW.

FOREST SERVICE PROGRAMS/WORK: THE MT. TAYLOR RANGER DISTRICT IS A FULL STAFF UNIT AND HAS A FAIRLY EVEN DISTRIBUTION OF PROGRAMS AND WORK ACROSS ALL FUNCTIONAL AREAS. THE DISTRICT ALSO HOSTS THE FOREST'S TIMBER/FORESTRY PROGRAM AND STAFF. THE DISTRICT CONSISTS OF TWO UNITS, THE MT. TAYLOR UNIT AND THE ZUNI MOUNTAINS UNIT, WHICH UNTIL JUNE 1974 WERE SEPARATE DISTRICTS. THE DISTRICT CONTAINS 521,035 NET ACRES. THERE ARE APPROXIMATELY 30 FULL TIME EMPLOYEES AND FROM 20 TO 25 TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES IN ANY YEAR.

LOCATION: GRANTS/CIBOLA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CLIMATE/GEOGRAPHICAL: GRANTS IS LOCATED IN CIBOLA COUNTY IN NORTHWEST NEW MEXICO BETWEEN THE ZUNI MOUNTAINS AND MT.

TAYLOR. THE AREA AROUND GRANTS CONSISTS OF BROAD FLAT-FLOORED VALLEYS WALLED TO THE SOUTH BY LAVA FLOWS (THE YOUNGEST LESS THAN A THOUSAND YEARS OLD) AND TO THE NORTH BY LOW MESAS OF

JURASSIC AND CRETACEOUS SEDIMENTARY FORMATIONS CAPPED WITH BASALT AND RHYOLITE FLOWS. THE ELEVATION AT GRANTS IS 6420 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL. TO THE NORTH OF GRANTS IS MT.TAYLOR (11,301 FEET) A COMPOSITE VOLCANO BUILT OF MULTIPLE SUCCESSIVE LAVA AND ASH FLOWS, THE OLDEST FLOWS BEING BASALT AND RHYOLITE THE LATER FLOWS CONSISTING OF DACITE AND ANDESITE. TO THE SOUTHWEST OF GRANTS ARE THE ZUNI MOUNTAINS (9,256 FEET), UPLIFT WITH A PRECAMBRIAN GRANITIC CORE AND SUCCESSIVELY YOUNGER LATE PALEOZOIC AND MESOZOIC FORMATIONS ALONG THE NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN EDGES. EXTENSIVE URANIUM DEPOSITS OCCUR NORTH AND EAST OF GRANTS MOSTLY IN THE MORRISON FORMATION OF THE JURASSIC PERIOD.

Grants experience a relatively mild and dry climate with over 3200 hours of sun/year. The average maximum temperature (from the period 1953 to present) is 67 degrees and the average minimum temperature is 32 degrees. The range during this period is 103 degrees, 28 June 1998 and -33 degrees, 23 January 1990. Average annual snowfall is 12.8 inches/year in Grants. Mean annual precipitation for the same period is 10.6 inches with a range of 17.1 inches, 1965 and a low of 4.4 inches, 1956.

POPULATION/DEMOGRAPHICS/GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS: THE CURRENT POPULATION OF CIBOLA COUNTY IS ESTIMATED AT 27,860, THE POPULATION OF THE GRANTS/MILAN COMMUNITY IS APPROXIMATELY 9,000. DURING THE MINING BOOM OF THE 1970'S AND 1980'S THE POPULATION OF CIBOLA COUNTY REACHED 30,346, WITH APPROXIMATELY 15,000 IN THE GRANTS AREA.

THE CIBOLA COUNTY POPULATION IS BROKEN DOWN DEMOGRAPHICALLY AS: 42% AMERICAN INDIAN, 33% HISPANIC AND 25% WHITE AND OTHER. THE NATIVE POPULATION OF CIBOLA COUNTY (BORN IN STATE OF RESIDENCE) IS 75% OF THE TOTAL POPULATION. APPROXIMATELY 50% OF THE POPULATION SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH, INCLUDING KERESAN, NAVAJO AND SPANISH.

COMMUNITY ECONOMY/HOUSING/COST OF LIVING/JOB MARKET: IN 1997 PER CAPITA INCOME (PCPI) WAS \$12,189. CIBOLA COUNTY RANKED 31⁵⁷ IN THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO OUT OF 33 COUNTIES. THIS IS APPROXIMATELY 63% OF THE STATE AVERAGE AND 48% OF THE NATIONAL AVERAGE. THE AVERAGE WAGE WAS \$20,531 IN THE SAME YEAR. 1990 CENSUS FIGURES INDICATE 24.8% OF ALL PERSONS WERE BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL.

The median value for a single family house in 2007 was \$139,000. A quality single family dwelling with 3-4 bedrooms, 1½ - 2 baths with an attached garage and 2,000 to 2,500 sq. ft. of living space currently ranges from approximately \$90,000 to \$180,000 depending on age of the structure and location.

THE MEDIAN VALUE FOR RENTER OCCUPIED UNITS IN 2006 WAS \$700.00 PER MONTH. THE 2008 COST OF LIVING INDEX IN CIBOLA COUNTY; 79.4 (LOW, U.S. AVERAGE IS 100)

The local job market can be described as fair to good. Several new industries and businesses including a Wal-Mart have increased job opportunities. Major employers in the Grants/Cibola County area include: Hospitals (2) – 300 jobs; City/County Government – 200; Corrections Facilities (3) – 460; Local Utilities – 260; State Government(Highway Dept.) – 300; Public Schools/NMSU Extension – 600; Industry/Mining – 800; Retail/Service (Restaurants, Grocery, Retail stores) – 2500+; Banking – 150; Federal Government – 100.

ACCESS/AIRPORTS/NEAREST LARGE CITY: ACCESS TO GRANTS IS VIA INTERSTATE 40 SEVENTY-FIVE MILES WEST OF ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO, THE NEAREST LARGE CITY.

FACILITIES/HOSPITALS/SCHOOLS/SHOPPING: GRANTS IS A FULL SERVICE COMMUNITY AND WITHIN 1½ HOURS DRIVE FROM ALBUQUERQUE, 1 HOUR DRIVE TO GALLUP AND 2½ HOURS DRIVE OF SANTA FE. THERE ARE TWO HOSPITALS IN CIBOLA COUNTY; CIBOLA GENERAL HOSPITAL LOCATED IN GRANTS AND ACOMA-LAGUNA HOSPITAL LOCATED AT ACOMA PUEBLO. IN ADDITION THERE ARE MED-LIFT SERVICES TO ALBUQUERQUE.

SCHOOLS: THE CIBOLA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS 1 SPECIAL EDUCATION FACILITY, 6 ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, 3 MIDDLE SCHOOLS, GRANTS HIGH SCHOOL AND LAGUNA-ACOMA JR/SR SCHOOL. NEW MEXICO STATE UNIVERSITY HAS AN EXTENSION BRANCH LOCATED IN GRANTS AND THERE IS ONE CATHOLIC PAROCHIAL SCHOOL AND 1 CHRISTIAN ACADEMIES.

ACCOMMODATIONS AND RESTAURANTS: THERE ARE 18 HOTELS/MOTELS, 3 BED AND BREAKFASTS AND 5 RV CAMPGROUNDS IN THE GRANTS AREA. THERE ARE 3 BAKERIES/DELI'S, 10 FAMILY RESTAURANTS, 13 FAST FOOD EATERIES, 7 MEXICAN/NEW MEXICO FOOD CAFES, 2 ORIENTAL RESTAURANTS, 3 STEAK AND SEAFOOD RESTAURANTS AND TWO 24HR TRUCK STOP FAMILY RESTAURANTS IN GRANTS.

THERE ARE MORE THAN 20 PROTESTANT AND CATHOLIC CHURCHES IN THE GRANTS AREA. SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDE THE AMERICAN LEGION, TOASTMASTERS, ELKS LODGE, KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, KIWANIS CLUB, BETA SIGMA PHI. LIONS INTERNATIONAL. AND THE ROTARY CLUB.

Shopping opportunities in the Grants area are adequate to meet most needs. There is a wide range of retail merchandise vendors. Discount retail outlets such as Price Costco and Sam's Club are available in Albuquerque as well as several large Malls.

RECREATIONAL/ENTERTAINMENT OPPORTUNITIES: THE GRANTS/CIBOLA COUNTY AREA HAS A RICH HISTORY IN AMERICAN INDIAN CULTURE AND HISTORIC WESTERN DEVELOPMENT. LOCAL CULTURE AND ATTRACTIONS INCLUDE: ACOMA PUEBLO (SKY CITY) THE OLDEST CONTINUALLY INHABITED COMMUNITY IN NORTH AMERICA, LAGUNA PUEBLO AND NEARBY ZUNI Pueblo. Numerous Arts and Crafts Festivals occur through-out THE YEAR, REFER TO CALENDAR OF EVENTS. THERE ARE SEVERAL MUSEUMS AND VISITOR CENTERS LOCATED IN THE GRANTS AREA INCLUDING: ACOMA PUEBLO MUSEUM, EXHIBITING ACOMA CULTURE, POTTERY AND HISTORY FROM 1400 TO PRESENT AND SERVING AS THE BASE FOR TOURS TO SKY CITY. NEW MEXICO MUSEUM OF MINING, LOCATED IN THE GRANTS/CIBOLA COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WHICH EXPLORES THE MINERAL HISTORY OF CIBOLA COUNTY AND CONTAINS A SIMULATED UNDERGROUND URANIUM MINE. THE MULTI-AGENCY VISITOR CENTER. AN INTERAGENCY CENTER SERVING AS A DISCOVERY AND TAKEOFF POINT FOR LOCAL NATURAL AND HISTORICAL ATTRACTIONS.

In the vicinity of Cibola County or nearby are numerous natural and historical attractions such as; El Morro National Monument, El Malpais National Monument, the Ice Caves and Bandera Crater, Mt. Taylor, Bluewater Lake State Park, the Zuni Mountain Railroad Tour. The major sporting event of the year in Cibola County is the Mt. Taylor Winter Quadrathlon (a 43K bike, 17.5K run, 8K x-country ski and 3.5K snow-shoe race). There are two golf courses, Coyote del Malpais and the Zuni Mountain course in the Grants/Milan area.